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Editor, C. J. Brown, Alma, Mich.; Managing Editor, C. J. Brown, Alma, Mich.; Business Manager, C. J. Brown, Alma, Mich.; Owners, C. J. Brown, Alma, Mich.; A. M. Brown, Alma, Mich. Known bondholders, mortgages, and other security holders, holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities—None.

C. J. BROWN.

A. M. BROWN, Owner.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this sixth day of October, 1914, by A. M. Brown, one of the owners.

CARL H. WASHBURN,
Notary Public in and for Gratiot County, Michigan. My commission expires Feb. 15th, 1916.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

Governor—Chase S. Osborn.
Lieut.-Governor—Luren D. Dickerson.
Secretary of State—Coleman C. Vaughn.
State Treasurer—John W. Haarer.
Attorney General—Grant Fellows.
Auditor General—O. B. Fuller.

Congressional.
Joseph W. Fordney.
Legislative.
Senator—John A. Damon.
Representative—Newell Smith.

County Ticket.
Sheriff—Newell M. Bradford.
Clerk—Bernie L. Case.
County Treasurer—Wilbur Nelson.
Register of Deeds—Bird J. Tucker.
Pros. Attorney—Ora L. Smith.
Drain Com'r—Erva R. Laycock.
Circuit Court Com'r—John M. Everden.
Coroners—B. C. Hall, W. K. Ludwig.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Alma, Mich., Oct. 6, 1914.
Regular meeting of the common council of the city of Alma in council rooms on the above date. The council was called to order by the Mayor, Hon. Albert P. Cook. Present, Alds. McConkey, Race, Ogden, Ward and Fraker. There being a quorum present, the council was declared to be in session. The Journal of the preceding session was read and approved. On motion of Ald. Ward, supported by Ald. Ogden, That the proposition of the Detroit Trust Co., relative to lights, be received. Motion carried.

On motion of Ald. Ward, supported by Ald. Race, That Chas. Hake be granted permission to place a 4-inch tile on top of Bridge avenue sewer in front of his property. Motion carried.

On motion of Ald. Ward, supported by Ald. Fraker, That the council having been in session to hear objections on the Bridge avenue sewer, and having heard quite a few objections, would move that the council adjourn said board to Tuesday, October 20, 1914. Motion carried.

The ways and means committee submitted the following report:
To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Alma:
Your committee on ways and means would respectfully recommend that the following amounts be raised by taxation for the fiscal year 1914:

For General fund \$20,780.70
For Highway fund 5,541.50
For Interest and Sinking fund 5,541.50

Total \$31,863.70

We would further recommend that

the General fund be divided into the following funds:

Water fund \$2,000.00
Cemetery fund 100.00
Contingent fund 18,680.70

Total \$20,780.70
F. M. McCONKEY,
GEO. A. OGDEN,
CHAS. O. WARD,
Committee.

On motion of Ald. Race, supported by Ald. Fraker, that the report of the committee be received and adopted, which vote was as follows:
Yeas—Alds. McConkey, Race, Ogden, Ward and Fraker.

On motion of Ald. Ward, supported by Ald. Race, that the following claims be allowed at footing and the clerk be instructed to issue orders for the same, which vote was as follows:
Yeas—Alds. McConkey, Race, Ogden, Ward and Fraker.

General Fund.

Alma Grain & Lumber Co., oats	\$ 1.32
M. H. Wells, oats	110.16
Alma Grain & Lumber Co., light, city hall	8.79
Lee Lybolt, bill	2.55
C. D. Delavan, bill	.25
J. H. Page, bill	3.75
D. W. Adams, bill	6.72
Union Telephone Co., phone	9.75
Detroit Trust Co., lights	86.02
M. B. Austin, bill	15.80
Home Lumber & Fuel Co., bill	125.90
Elmer Oswald, labor	15.75
Elmer Oswald, labor	10.37
R. J. Fraker, labor	4.00
Wm. Sanborn, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	4.00
Will Donley, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	3.00
John Blank, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	20.70
E. Gross, labor, Bridge Ave. sewer	24.00
Wm. Schick, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	23.20
F. J. Rumbreyer, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	17.40
L. Gossett, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	3.40
A. Meerer, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	10.20
E. Devloo, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	18.20
Joe Krec, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	7.20
Mike Nequala, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	13.20
C. Mink, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	25.60
Peter Bailey, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	13.20
Evon Nequala, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	20.80
Tony Grould, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	18.00
Dim Ristal, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	21.00
Milton Dallas, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	23.20
H. Story, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	11.20
C. H. Jessup, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	3.00
E. Smith, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	12.00
Andy Jarlinski, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	14.00
Paul Schert, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	4.00
E. Closs, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	4.00
Joe Ray, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	30.75
H. J. Voller, labor Bridge Ave. sewer	30.00
Highway Fund.	
Charles Williams, bill	\$52.03
Ionina Hardware Co., bill	8.80
Abe Eckert, labor	24.00
Water Fund.	
Massillon Iron & Steel Co., bill	\$406.32
National Meter Co., meter	160.00
Detroit Lead Pipe Works, bill	50.54
Walthers & Woodland, bill	13.71
August Arndt, labor	4.00
Chas. Bartles, labor	4.00
John Blank, labor	2.50
Cemetery Fund.	
H. Carter, labor	\$17.50
Alma Elevator Co., bill	2.00
On motion of Ald. Ward, supported by Ald. Race, the council adjourned.	
D. W. ADAMS, City Clerk.	
ALBERT P. COOK, Mayor.	

EXTENSIVE "Y" WORK

Policies Adopted—Changes In Staff of Secretaries

JOHN D. GAVE \$60,000.00

Alma College Students Active in Y. M. C. A. Work

Plans and outlines for an extensive program of work in Michigan were formulated Tuesday at the annual Fall Conference of secretaries of the State Y. M. C. A. Policies to meet the growing needs of the work were adopted and a resume of the various activities in county, student, Upper Peninsula, city and religious departments of the State Executive Committee was presented at a dinner at the Detroit Y. M. C. A. building.

A number of changes have taken place in the staff of 15 county or rural secretaries, but there is no diminution in the activities. Despite the effect on the copper industry of the war in Europe and the 10 per cent. cut in wages and fewer days of work, the four city Associations in the Upper Peninsula are carrying on an extensive work. These are located in Ishpeming, Munising, Sault Ste. Marie, and Calumet. A new building at Munising is being built at an expense of \$25,000. The Upper Peninsula also has one county (Iron) organization in operation.

The Association at the University of Michigan is meeting the needs of incoming freshmen in an effective way by helping them to adjust themselves to their new surroundings. A tent has been erected for the reception of students. John D. Rockefeller recently gave this Association \$60,000 towards a student Association building. At Michigan Agricultural College a plan has been outlined to organize 40 Bible study groups, with a total enrollment of approximately 400 students.

Of eleven graduates at Alma College this year five were members of Y. M. C. A. groups in Lenawee county before entering college.

Mr. Johnson, Secretary for Student and Religious work, stated that Bible study throughout the State was being entered into with enthusiasm and determination. Fourteen Bible study groups are being organized at Cadillac, and 125 boys are ready to enter the classes at Port Huron. "The difficulty we find," said Mr. Johnson, "is in getting leaders. We can get all the boys we can find leaders for."

It was declared at the conference that with the great disaster in Europe always in people's minds the coming winter promised greater returns from religious work than any other.

J. A. Van Dis, secretary for boys' work in Michigan, states that provision is being made for 2000 delegates to the Twelfth Annual Older Boys' Conference at Ann Arbor during the Thanksgiving vacation.

New Y. M. C. A. buildings are being completed at Flint, Grand Rapids, and Munising. The Flint structure, the cost of which is over \$100,000, will be ready for occupancy early in the winter. Otto Largent, general secretary of the Soranin O. Association, has become the new general secretary at Flint. E. C. Earl, of St. Joseph, Mo., is physical director, and H. D. Gault is boys' work secretary.

PHYSICIAN - SURGEON

From New York City, Dr. Carney, Will Locate in Alma

Dr. Carney, of New York City, is attracted by the beauties and possibilities of Alma, and has been lured away from the metropolis. Dr. Carney is a man of fourteen years' practical experience, and a graduate of a long and varied medical course, 44 years old, and married. He has a brother who is practicing in Durand, with success. Dr. Carney will locate in Alma and secure offices. He will do a general business, although his strongest line is surgery, having served in three New York City hospitals. He was a member of the New York Board of Health, and was for some time an instructor in the Cornell University Medical College. His work will be associated with the Brainerd Hospital more or less, and he will assist in the instruction of the nurses in that institution.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Alma, Mich., Oct. 4th, 1914.
Advised list for week ending October 5th, 1914.
Mr. Leywell, Baker,
Mr. Jack Carroll,
Mr. H. O. Putmen,
Mrs. Stella Shaff,
Mr. Fred Watts.
The above if not called for will be sent to the dead letter office Oct. 19th, 1914.
V. P. CASH, Postmaster.

Alma's New Dry Goods Store

OPENING DAY, SAT., OCT. 10

We have chosen Alma as a city to engage in the dry goods business. You will find our store located in the Creaser block, formerly occupied by the Humphreys and Adams stocks, and we invite the people of Alma and Vicinity to give us a call and inspect our goods and methods of doing business.

We will carry the following lines: Dress Goods, Silks, Domestic, Ladies' and Children's Underwear, Hosiery, Corsets, Blankets, Notions, Suits, Cloaks, Skirts, in fact all things usually found in a dry goods store.

Our Platform

Every man has a platform or creed—Read ours:

1. Honesty in all our dealings.
2. Good goods at right prices.
3. One price to all.
4. We believe in the cash plan.
5. We aim to please you by having the goods you want. If not in our stock, we will get them for you.
6. We shall be on the lookout for all the newest things and have it in stock as soon as it comes on the market.

Give us a call,

J. A. Gerhardt

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

By mutual consent the partnership heretofore existing between Francis A. Bennett and John F. Miller, under the firm name of Bennett & Miller, is hereby dissolved. The said Francis A. Bennett will collect all bills outstanding and pay all bills due or to become due, from and after this date.
Dated, October 2nd, 1914.

F. A. BENNETT,
JOHN F. MILLER.

AUTOMOBILE FOR SALE.

REO AUTOMOBILE, RUN LESS THAN TEN THOUSAND MILES. IN NUMBER ONE SHAPE. TIRES ABSOLUTELY PUNCTURE PROOF. NOT A PUNCTURE IN TWO YEARS. A BIG TOURING CAR. ELECTRIC HORN, PRESTO-LIGHT TANK, SPEEDOMETER, EVERY EQUIPMENT.

A FARMER'S CAR.
Take the whole family to town or to the Club meeting. Unscrew four bolts, take off rear seat, and have a bed big enough to carry cream cans, crates of eggs, a hog crate, etc. And you are sure to get there, for there are NO PUNCTURES. Price right. Thos. C. Blaisdell, 801 West Superior St., Alma.

ALMA MARKETS.

The following market reports are corrected every Thursday morning:

Oats Old	43
Wheat	95c
Shelled corn	70c
Ear Corn	35
White Beans	\$1.95
Red Kidney Beans	\$2.30
Rye	77c
Barley	per cwt. \$1.00
Buckwheat	\$1.60
Hay, No. 1 Timothy	\$11.00
Hay, No. 2 Timothy	\$11.00
Hay, No. 1 Mixed	\$10.00
Hay, Clover	10.50
Clover seed	\$7.50 to \$9.00
Straw	\$4.50 to \$5.50
Timothy	\$2.50

LIVE STOCK
Pigs..... per cwt. \$8.00
Heavy Hogs..... per cwt. \$8.25
Beef Cattle..... per cwt. \$4.00 to \$6.50
Fat Sheep, per cwt. \$3.00 to 4.00
Veal Calves..... \$7.50 to 9.00

DRESSED MEATS
Light Hogs..... per cwt. \$11.00
Heavy Hogs..... per cwt. 10.00
Veal Calves..... per pound 12c

POULTRY, HIDES, ETC.
Hens..... 11c
Spring Chicken..... per pound 12c
Beef Hides..... per pound 10c
Horse Hides..... \$2 to \$3.00

Deacon Skins..... 25c
Calf Skins..... per pound 10c
Tallow..... per pound 8c

PRODUCE
Butter..... per pound 25c
Eggs..... per dozen 23c

MR. FARMER!

Don't forget the corn show at the Economy Shoe Store.
Bring us three ears of your best corn. First prize, \$7.00 in trade; second prize, \$3.50 in trade.
ECONOMY SHOE STORE.

ITEMS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

TOBACCO SALESMEN WANTED—Earn \$100 monthly. Expenses. Experience unnecessary. Advertise and take orders from merchants for Smoking and Chewing Tobacco, Cigarettes, Cigars, etc. Send a 2-cent stamp for full particulars. Hemet Tobacco Co., New York, N. Y.
1848t10

FOR SALE—I have 13 head of horses that I wish to dispose of in the next 30 days, ages from 1 to 9 years old, and weighing up to 1400. Inquire of M. L. Perrigo, Forest Hill, or Alma, Mich.
1855t4

WANTED—Two or three rooms suitable for light housekeeping. Inquire at Record Office.
1855t1

WANTED—A girl to wash dishes at Wright Hall.
1855t2

FOR SALE—New seven passenger touring car, handsome and in first class condition. Address, Auto, Care of this paper.
1851t6

FOR SALE—Cheap, work mare. Inquire of C. R. Ring, Union phone No. 95, 3s-11.
1856t-

FOR SALE—One bay horse, 7 years old, weight 1300 lbs. Inquire at the N. J. Woodward farm, 3-4 mile north of J. B. Tubbs' corners.
1856t-

WANTED—Three or four unfurnished rooms, or small flat. Inquire at Record office.
1856t1

TO RENT—At 524 State St., room for gentleman with heat and bath.
1856t1

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 22 W. Mechanic St., Alma.
185 t1

FOR SALE—Baby buggy perambulator. Call at 414 Park Ave.
1855t1

STRAYED OR STOLEN—From the barn on Mrs. John Day's property, on Park Ave., Sunday morning, Oct. 4, a brown mare, weight 1,000 lbs. Finder please notify Record office.
1856t2

AUTOMOBILE—for sale. Maxwell 10 H. P. Touring Car. Good condition, fully equipped. Quick sale. Call at office.
1856t3

Record Liners Pay! Cost Little!

We manufacture the all-cast
Clare Furnace and can furnish
all repairs for same.

ALMA STANDARD FOUNDRY
& MANUFACTURING CO.

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SPECIAL FOR

Friday and Saturday

Just to introduce some of our fashionable, good wearing, new shoes, we will offer

150 Pairs Ladies' \$3.00 and \$3.50
Shoes for
\$2.50

These shoes are not limited to one style or leather. But includes patent leather, gun metal, vici kids, and other leathers. All strictly up-to-the-minute in styles.

Remember Only 150 pairs Offered at this Price.

2 Days---Friday and Saturday

D. E. BRACKETT

Cor. E. Superior and Woodworth, Alma, Mich.

Sweaters

Large assortment of men's and boys sweaters and mackinaws—all styles. There is a difference how these garments are made and fit. Compare ours. They'll please.

Sweaters \$1.00 to \$7.00
Mackinaws \$3.50 to \$8.00

Underwear

To insure yourself winter comfort, begin at the skin. Get comfortable underwear. Our Winter Underwear is built for your comfort, it fits, it absorbs the perspiration and it wears.

Both union suits and separate garments.
2-Piece suits 50c to \$1.50
Union suits \$1.00 to \$3.00
Boys unions 50c and 1.00

INGER'S
osite City Hall